



Georgia

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday
February 17,
2022

DAILY REPORT

18th
Legislative
Day

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- The House will reconvene for its 19th Legislative Day on Tuesday, February 22 at 10:00 a.m.
- The Rules Committee will meet at 9:00 a.m.
- Six bills are expected to be debated on the floor.

Today on the Floor

Rules Calendar

SB 369 Board of Education of Gwinnett County; future elections for members of the board of education shall be nonpartisan; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 369 provides that future elections of the Gwinnett Board of Education will be non-partisan.

Authored By: Sen. Clint Dixon (45th)
House Committee: Governmental Affairs
Floor Vote: Yeas: 95 Nays: 61

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee Action: 02-09-2022 Do Pass
Amendments:

SB 386 Board of Commissioners of Meriwether County; description of the commissioner districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 386 changes the description of the Meriwether County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By: Sen. Randy Robertson (29th)
House Committee: Governmental Affairs
Floor Vote: Yeas: 142 Nays: 5

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee Action: 02-14-2022 Do Pass
Amendments:

SB 387 Meriwether County Board of Education; description of the education districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 387 changes the description of the Meriwether County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By: Sen. Randy Robertson (29th)
House Committee: Governmental Affairs
Floor Vote: Yeas: 142 Nays: 5

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee Action: 02-14-2022 Do Pass
Amendments:

SB 437 Board of Commissioners of Fulton County; future elections for the office of county commissioner shall be nonpartisan elections; provide

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 437 changes the description of the Fulton County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By: Sen. John Albers (56th)
House Committee: Governmental Affairs
Floor Vote: Yeas: 97 Nays: 62

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee Action: 02-14-2022 Do Pass by Committee Substitute
Amendments:

SB 457 Richmond County and the City of Augusta; description of the commission districts; change
Bill Summary: Senate Bill 457 changes the description of the Augusta-Richmond County Commission districts.

Authored By: Sen. Max Burns (23rd)
House Governmental Affairs
Committee:
Floor Vote: Yeas: 97 Nays: 63

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-14-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

SB 458 County of Richmond; description of the school board districts; change
Bill Summary: Senate Bill 458 changes the description of the Richmond County school districts.

Authored By: Sen. Max Burns (23rd)
House Governmental Affairs
Committee:
Floor Vote: Yeas: 97 Nays: 63

Rule Applied: Modified-Structured
Committee 02-14-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

Local Calendar

HB 1362 Irwin County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1362 changes the description of the Irwin County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By: Rep. Clay Pirkle (155th)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

HB 1363 Macon County; Board of Education; revise member districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1363 revises the districts for the election of members of the Macon County Board of Education.

Authored By: Rep. Patty Bentley (139th)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

HB 1364 Cobb County; State Court; change compensation of judges

Bill Summary: House Bill 1364 changes the compensation of judges of the Cobb County State Court. The chief judge shall receive an additional compensation of \$10,168.55 per year, and the judges of Division 1 shall be paid \$194,905.60 per year.

Authored By: Rep. Teri Anulewicz (42nd)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

HB 1365 Coffee County; Board of Education; change description of districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1365 changes the description of the Coffee County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By: Rep. Clay Pirkle (155th)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

HB 1366 Macon County; Board of Commissioners; revise member districts

Bill Summary: House Bill 1366 revises the districts for the election of members of the Macon County Board of Commissioners.

Authored By:	Rep. Patty Bentley (139th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-16-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 131 Nays: 18	Amendments:	

SB 446 Board of Education of Warren County; description of the education districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 446 changes the description of the Warren County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Sen. Max Burns (23rd)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-16-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 131 Nays: 18	Amendments:	

SB 463 Board of Education of Henry County; description of the districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 463 changes the description of the districts from which members of the Henry County Board of Education are elected.

Authored By:	Sen. Emanuel Jones (10th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-16-2022
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 131 Nays: 18	Amendments:	

SB 464 Board of Commissioners of Henry County; description of the commissioner districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 464 changes the description of the Henry County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Sen. Emanuel Jones (10th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-16-2022
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 131 Nays: 18	Amendments:	

SB 473 Sumter County Board of Education and School Superintendent; description of the education districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 473 changes the description of the Sumter County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By:	Sen. Freddie Sims (12th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-16-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 131 Nays: 18	Amendments:	

SB 475 Board of Commissioners of Wilkinson County; description of the commissioner districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 475 changes the description of the Wilkinson County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By:	Sen. David Lucas (26th)	Rule Applied:	
House	Intragovernmental Coordination -	Committee	02-16-2022 Do Pass
Committee:	Local	Action:	
Floor Vote:	Yeas: 131 Nays: 18	Amendments:	

SB 476 Board of Education of Wilkinson County; description of the districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 476 changes the description of the Wilkinson County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By: Sen. David Lucas (26th)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022
Action:
Amendments:

SB 488 Board of Commissioners of Twiggs County; description of the commissioner districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 488 changes the description of the Twiggs County Board of Commissioners' districts.

Authored By: Sen. David Lucas (26th)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

SB 489 Board of Education of Twiggs County; description of the education districts; change

Bill Summary: Senate Bill 489 changes the description of the Twiggs County Board of Education's districts.

Authored By: Sen. David Lucas (26th)
House Intragovernmental Coordination -
Committee: Local
Floor Vote: Yeas: 131 Nays: 18

Rule Applied:
Committee 02-16-2022 Do Pass
Action:
Amendments:

Committee Actions

Bills passing committees are reported to the Clerk's Office and are placed on the General Calendar.

Ways & Means Committee

HB 500 Georgia Agribusiness and Rural Jobs Act; provide for a second round of funding and period for applications

Bill Summary: House Bill 500 amends Code Section 33-1-25, relating to the 'Georgia Agribusiness and Rural Jobs Act,' by allowing a second round of funding of \$100 million to be available for capital investments. The bill also increases the application fee from \$5,000 to \$25,000 and establishes an annual maintenance fee of \$7,500 for all rural funds. The bill requires rural funds to submit an initial report to the Department of Community Affairs within 15 days after each capital investment rather than the current report due date of the second anniversary of the initial credit. Rural funds must also include the fund's total eligible capital investments as a percentage of its total capital investments in its annual report.

Authored By: Rep. James Burchett (176th)
House Committee: Ways & Means

Committee Action: 02-17-2022 Do Pass by Committee Substitute

HB 896 Revenue and taxation; update population bracket and census date for a certain property tax exemption for certain leased property

Bill Summary: House Bill 896 amends O.C.G.A. 48-5-40, relating to property tax exemptions, by updating a homestead exemption for counties having populations between 23,500 and 23,675 on the 2010 Census with counties having populations between 25,400 and 25,500 on the 2020 Census.

Authored By: Rep. Clint Crowe (110th)
House Committee: Ways & Means

Committee Action: 02-17-2022 Do Pass

HB 1034 Sales and use tax; exemption for sales of admissions to nonrecurring major sporting events; revise

Bill Summary: House Bill 1034 amends Code Section 48-8-3, relating to exemptions from sales and use tax, by expanding the sales tax exemption for sales of admissions to non-recurring major sporting events to include any match of a Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA) World Cup and by extending the sunset date from December 31, 2022, to December 31, 2031.

Authored By: Rep. Marcus Wiedower (119th)
House Committee: Ways & Means

Committee Action: 02-17-2022 Do Pass

HB 1064 Income tax; certain retirement income for military service; provide exemption

Bill Summary: House Bill 1064 amends O.C.G.A. 48-7-27, relating to the computation of taxable net income, by adding an income tax exemption of up to \$17,500 of military retirement income for individuals less than 62 years of age and an additional exemption of \$17,500 for individuals less than 62 years of age who have at least \$17,500 of earned income.

Authored By: Rep. Jesse Petrea (166th)
House Committee: Ways & Means

Committee Action: 02-17-2022 Do Pass

HB 1320 Revenue and taxation; Internal Revenue Code and Internal Revenue Code of 1986; define terms and incorporate certain provisions of federal law into Georgia law

Bill Summary: House Bill 1320 amends 48-1-2 of the Code, relating to income tax definitions, by providing an update to the definition of "Internal Revenue Code" to include the provisions of the

'Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act' signed by the president on November 15, 2021. The provisions include changes to which bonds qualify as tax-exempt bond financing, an extension of interest-rate smoothing for defined benefit plans, and expanding non-taxable contributions to capital to include contributions to the capital of the utility by a government entity providing for the protection, preservation, or enhancement of drinking water or sewage disposal services.

Authored By: Rep. David Knight (130th)
House Committee: Ways & Means

Committee Action: 02-17-2022 Do Pass

Committee Meeting Schedule

This meeting schedule is up to date at the time of this report, but meeting dates and times are subject to change. To keep up with the latest schedule, please visit www.house.ga.gov and click on [Meetings Calendar](#).

Tuesday - February 22, 2022

1:00 PM	CREATIVE ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE	406 CLOB HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
1:00 PM	Governmental Affairs Redistricting and Elections Special Subcommittee	341 CAP HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
1:30 PM	State & Local Government Subcommittee Meeting	341 CAP HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda
3:00 PM	Appropriations Public Safety Subcommittee	132 CAP	VIDEO	Agenda
3:00 PM	Appropriations Health Subcommittee	341 CAP HYBRID	VIDEO	Agenda